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MEDICARE COVERAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, March 12, 2003

8:00 AM – 3:30 PM

Baltimore Convention Center---Rooms 337 & 338

AGENDA

Harold C. Sox, MD, Chairperson
Steve E. Phurrough, CMS Liaison
Kimberly A. Long, Executive Secretary

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- 7:30 – 8:00 AM** Registration
- 8:00 – 8:15 AM** Opening Remarks—**K. Long/Dr. Phurrough**
- 8:15 – 8:35 AM** CMS Presentation of Request and Voting/Discussion Questions
- 8:35 – 9:35 AM** Requestor's Presentation:
Eric Rose, MD, James Long, MD, Leslie Miller, MD
- 9:35 – 10:15 AM** Scheduled Public Comments (see speaker list)
Public attendees, who have contacted the executive secretary prior to the meeting, will address the panel and present information relevant to the agenda. Speakers are asked to state whether or not they have any financial involvement with manufacturers of any products being discussed or with their competitors and who funded their travel to this meeting.
- 10:15 – 10:30 AM** **BREAK**
- 10:30 – 12:00 PM** Open Panel Deliberations
- Lead Methodological Reviewer presentation
 - Lead Clinical Reviewer presentation
 - Questions to Presenters
- Public Observers May Not Participate Except at the Specific Request of the Chairperson*
- 12:00 -- 1:00 PM** **LUNCH**
- 1:00 – 1:20 PM** Open Public Comments
Public Attendees who wish to address the panel will be given that opportunity. Speakers will need to have registered at the registration desk and are asked to state whether or not they have any financial involvement with manufacturers of any products being discussed or with their competitors and who funded their travel to this meeting.
- 1:20 – 3:15 PM** Open Panel Deliberations: **Dr. Sox**
- Formal Remarks and Vote
Prior to voting, the Chairperson will ask each panel member to state his or her position on the voting question.
 - Discussion of Non-Voting Questions
At the conclusion of discussion, the Chairperson will ask each panel member to state his or her position on the non-voting question.
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- 3:15 – 3:30 PM** Closing Remarks / Adjournment: **K. Long /Dr. Phurrough**
- 3:30 PM** **ADJOURN**

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